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FM AMEMBASSY SANTO DOMINGO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5796

INFO AMEMBASSY PORT AU PRINCE PRIORITY

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FOR AMBASSADOR MAILLIARD FROM CHARGE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP, OAS, PFOR

SUBJECT: OAS CHARTER REFORM - VISITS TO CAPITALS

REF: A. STATE 10415 B. SANTO DOMINGO 221

1. DO NOT ANTICIPATE PROBLEMS IN ARRANGING FOR REQUESTED APPOINTMENTS FOR FRIDAY FEB 6.

2. HOWEVER, SINCE IT TAKES ABOUT EIGHT HOURS ORDINARY DRIVING FROM PORT AU PRINCE TO SANTO DOMINGO AND OVERNIGHT FACILITIES AT BARAHONA ARE SUBSTANDARD, IT WOULD APPEAR PREFERABLE TO MAKE SUCH TRIP DURING ONE DAY. IF YOU LEFT PORT AU PRINCE AT ABOUT 7:30 OR 8:00 A.M., YOU COULDS JOURNEY SANTO DOMINGO BEFORE NIGHTFALL, INCLUDING TIME FOR LUNCH.

3. PROCEDURES FOR BORDER-CROSSING ARRANGEMENTS ARE SOMEWHAT INVOLVED AND CAN BE TIME-CONSUMING BUT IF WE ARE INFORMED SOON THAT YOU DECIDE TO TRAVEL THIS WAY, WE WILL TRY TO EXPEDITE CLEARANCES TO ENABLE ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE IN TIME FOR YOUR TRIP. TO ELIMINATE COMPLICATIONS OF OBTAINING CLEARANCES FOR VEHICLE CROSSING IT WOULD BE ADVANTAGEOUS TO TRANSFER VEHICLES AT BORDER AS YOU SUGGEST. EMBASSY CAN PROVIDE VEHICLE, DRIVER AND ESCORT FOR TRIP FROM BORDER TO SANTO DOMINGO.

4. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST OF YOUR DECISION, INCLUDING DAY OF

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PLANNED TRAVEL (FEB 4 OR 5).

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